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David Irvine
Decisions and Certificates of Correction Branch
United States Patent Office

Re: U.S. Patent No. 7,137,969

NEURAL TRANSPLANTATION DELIVERY SYSTEM

Date of Issue: November 21, 2006

Inventor: Ivar Mendez

U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 10/088,047

Mr. Irvine:

Attached is the denial of a request for a Certificate of Correction for the above mentioned patent. We would ask you to reconsider this decision based on the information below.

An important error for which a correction was sought is that the United States Patent Office, in preparing the patent for issue, changed the order of the claims in the patent. This led to a claim being dependent on a claim that had not yet been introduced.

Consulting with the U.S. Patent Office, we were advised that we could change the numbering of the claims to correct this unacceptable order of claims, which we did.

We have included a copy of a chart showing our *Original Claims*, the *Renumbering of the Claims* by the Patent Office in preparing the patent, and a *New Claim Numbering* which was accomplished to correct the error. This *New Claim Numbering* was introduced in the Certificate of Correction which we filed March 19, 2007. We have also enclosed a copy of the entire text of the *New Renumbered Claims*.

Errors were introduced into the claims by the United States Patent Office by incorrectly numbering a claim that was depended upon. Corrections of these claim numbers is shown on the same chart mentioned above. Attached is the last, therefore definitive, Amendment which was filed December 28, 2005, showing the correct numbers of claims depended upon.

We are providing this information to assist you. Please do not hesitate to call us.

Thank you.

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